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HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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NETWORK OF MEDICAL STORES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to set up a country-wide network of Government medical stores ;

(b) if so, the details thereof ; and

(c) the time by which it is likely to be implemented ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) to (c): The Medical Stores Organization is already having its country-wide network and operates through its seven Govt. Medical Store Depots located at Delhi Chennai, Guwahati, Hyderabad, Karnal, Kolkata and Mumbai. These Medical Stores Depots cater to the needs of whole country for supply of Medicines to Govt. Hospitals and CGHS Dispensaries.